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7TH WAR BOND DRIVE TO START MONDAY MAY 14.

Hancock County launches its greatest financial undertaking in history next Monday when volunteer workers take to the field in an effort to have every citizen invest in War Bonds in the 7th War Loan Drive.

The County's E-Bond quota, \$165,000.00, poses the biggest task of the entire drive, but leaders report that the county will make every attempt to succeed in the "Seven Days For The Seventh" plan, going forward under the battle cry of "Let's Get The Job Done by May Twenty-One."

At a county-wide meeting held Tuesday morning at Bay St. Louis, workers received details of the drive, and expressed confidence that "our county will once again do an essential job in the 7th War Loan."

Walter J. Cox, Jr., Chairman of the 7th War Loan Drive for the county, made the following statement following the meeting:

"It is the duty of every citizen in the county to invest all he possibly can in War Bonds, especially E-Bonds, and do it early in the campaign so we will have the quickest and most successful drive of them all."

"Let me urge that citizens not let thoughts of final victory dampen their determination to invest in War Bonds, because even with the fall of Germany, we have a big job to do in the Pacific. Then, too, there will still be tremendous expenditures in all theatres, whether actual fighting is going on or not."

"Let's make 'Seven Days For The Seventh' a reality in our county. We will if every man, woman and child really buy bonds, and then ask others to buy. Be ready when a volunteer worker calls on you."

Father Fahey Addresses Rotary and Exchange Clubs At Hattiesburg

We are always glad to hear complimentary remarks made about our fellow townsman Rev. Father Leo F. Fahey, and we are particularly happy when we hear of the success he is achieving as Pastor of the Sacred Heart Church at Hattiesburg, and of the splendid manner in which he has been received by both Catholic and Protestant. We are quoting an article which appeared in the Hattiesburg American of April 21.

"During the past week Father Leo F. Fahey, pastor of Sacred Heart Catholic Church delivered two splendid lectures on 'Civic Responsibility' before the Rotary and Exchange clubs. His talks were timely, straight-from-the-shoulder, and were what every Hattiesburgite needs."

To illustrate how Father Fahey's audiences were impressed with his talks, one school superintendent who was present has asked Father Fahey to deliver the address before the school at Rawls Springs during the commencement exercises, and Banker F. W. Foote, who highly praised the speech has charged of the exhibit. A Love Offering of \$40.00 was taken for the Indian Church work of Mississippi.

Father Fahey remarked modestly that he thinks Mr. Foote must be a glutton for punishment. "We are of the opinion, however, that Mr. Foote recognized a good speech when he heard it."

Incidentally, Father Fahey has the ability to insert humorous quips in his speech with unusual adroitness, and is a past-master at making statements with his tongue in his cheek."

"We were asked by a gentleman from Hattiesburg as to the nativity of Father Fahey, and we proceeded to tell him that he was from Bay St. Louis. We want them all to know that he is a Bay St. Louis product. Born here, his high school education was had at St. Stanislaus, and he served as Asst. Pastor for the first fifteen years of his priesthood in his own parish, and was then made Pastor at Hattiesburg. We also want the people of Sacred Heart Parish to know, that even though it is sinful to envy, that we envy them."

Bay Waveland Garden Club Scrapbook Wins State Award

The very beautiful and informative scrapbook of the activities of the Bay-Waveland Garden Club for the year of 1944-45 won second place in the State Awards which were recently given in Jackson. This book was compiled by Mrs. Anna Waveland, Scrapbook Chairman. It is the second honor that the Club has received in this field of work, as the book which was made by Miss Lucy Richardson won this same honor in the 1942-43 year.

The scrapbook contains many very beautiful paintings done by Mrs. Nachman, besides papers submitted on gardening and its care by various members of the Club. This book is a rich volume on gardening and will be placed in the Hancock County Library for use by any interested person.

BAY HI MAY FESTIVAL FRIDAY, MAY 18

The Bay High School annual May Festival will be presented on Friday evening, May 18th at 8 P. M. The King will be Glen Coward and Queen Miss Eunice Moran; the Duke of Honor Karl Praetorius and Maid of Honor Miss Alicia Rollins. All of the above were elected by the Court.

Maid in waiting to the queen; Jean Pritchard, Lorraine Davis, Gay Curet, Jane Dubuisson, Lanell Price, Gloria Biehl, Georgie Ladner, Ruth Kirst, Marie Parker and Clara Russell.

Flower Girls: Velma Rankin, Carol Horton, Phyllis Allison, Janette Egloff.

Pages—Sherman Lee Carter, Anthony Loiacano, Billy Burrows, August Peterson.

Crown Bearer—Carl Thibeau.

Heralds: Billy James, Terry Roch, Duke; Cleis Puchet, Dan Strahan, John Jackson, Ben Bennett, Neil Walker, Rene Cuevas, Billy Angle, Ott Brockman, Perre Quintini, John Adams, Salvador Starita, Ray Bourgeois, Pierre Dupaquier, Wilbert Adams, John Swan, Sam Hardwick, Carl Marshall, Jimmy McDonald, Ben Moore, Edward Randolph.

Maid: Margaret Cook, Anne Smith, Rosemary Rollins, Jerry Haas, Doris Murphy, Barbara Dresler, Leila Bass, Dot Bertucci, Mary Leigh Weston, Barbara Ann Trautour, Gloria Carr, Marjorie Jones, Mary C. Bennett, Juliette Johnston, Betty Lou Taconi, Ethel Ladner, Thelma Piazza, Anna Mae Benigno, June Swan, Ruth Ferrill, Mollie Fayard, Carmen Monteleone, Margaret Miller, Hazel Snider.

Womans Society Christian Service Meeting, May 2nd to 4th.

Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met at the church on May 2nd to 4th for study of "The Indian in American Life," by G. E. Lindquist.

Mrs. H. J. Thompson who led the study, carefully planned each day's program and made it one of the most instructive and interesting study. The legends read by Mrs. H. J. Thompson added greatly to the enjoyment of the study.

Meeting opened each day with songs, scripture and prayer. Mrs. E. E. Samples sang Indian songs.

Musical selections were rendered by Mrs. Carl Smith, Mrs. J. E. Goldman and Mrs. F. Wilson, violinist.

Taking part in the study of the book were Mrs. V. C. Hobbs, Mrs. Lucille Anderson, Mrs. Eugene Mogabgab, Rev. J. L. Neill of Gulfport, gave a talk on the Indians of Mississippi. He spoke of his religious contact with the Choctaws, highly praising their character.

An I. Q. was given by Mrs. S. Whitfield and Mrs. J. L. Nicholson. A panel discussion, on a view on Indians was given by Mrs. R. Shadwin, Mrs. L. Anderson, Mrs. W. Rankin, Mrs. E. E. Samples.

An interesting scrap book was made by Mrs. S. Whitfield. Mrs. Mogabgab had charge of the exhibit. A Love Offering of \$40.00 was taken for the Indian Church work of Mississippi.

At the close of the study an Indian Girl, which was represented in costume, by Muriel Manieri read a poem, and invited the ladies to the church annex. There a table covered with a cloth of Indian design, with bowls of corn, beans, fish, nuts and potato was guarded over by an Indian Doll Chief and Squaw.

Refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed.

CROWNING OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN

Approximately 100 little children of Our Lady of the Gulf Parish formed a procession in the Convent yard and marched to the church. The little boys carried candles and the little girls wore wreaths which they placed, as an offering, on the Altar.

Mrs. A. J. Gmelch, pastor, officiated and gave a short but inspiring talk on the solemnity of the occasion. Little Emily Dehn had the honor of placing the Gold crown upon the blessed Mother. She was accompanied by Janet Garner and Andrea Blaize, who placed her wreath of white flowers upon the Virgin, also making it a double crowning.

Altar Society Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Altar Society of Our Lady of the Gulf Church will be held at the Convent on Wednesday, May 17th at 3 P. M. All members are urged to attend.

Notice of Meeting

Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet at the home of Mrs. A. P. Smith on Tuesday, May 15th. Spiritual Life will meet at 3:00 P. M. Business meeting at 3:30 P. M.

Prisoners of Japanese Concentration Camp Return After Three Years

Arriving here late Wednesday afternoon, after almost three years in a Japanese concentration camp in the Philippines were Pedro A. Casanave, Sr., 78 year old only brother of Mrs. Louis Jacob, Sr., of this city, and his 54 year old wife. With them, also prisoners of the Japs were their three sons and their families.

Mr. Casanave, a native of Mexico but of Louisiana parents, was reared in New Orleans. He went with the American forces in 1899 in the Spanish-American War as a photographer, the work he followed in New Orleans. There he raised his family.

Emilio Casanave was a salesman for the General Electric there and Pedro, Jr., worked as a photographer with his family. The youngest son Anderson was an instructor in Santa Tomas university in Manila and was taken there on January 6, 1942.

Another brother, Theodore Casanave, 48 years, and his wife remained in the Philippines after they were liberated. He is a native of Alabama but was raised in New Orleans. He did not join his father and stepmother until he was 21. The Casanave family were interned by the Japs in April of 1942 in Ilo Ilo City, Panay, Philippines Island, their home city. On June 23, 1943 they were sent to the Camp at Santa Tomas where they remained until April 9, 1944 when the Japs removed all of them to Los Banos. From there they were liberated by American airborne troops on February 23, 1945. The Americans took care of them behind the lines until they were shipped to the States where they arrived at San Pedro, California on May 2, 1945. They reached New Orleans on May 8 and accompanied by the Right Reverend Monsignor H. Jacob, a nephew of Mr. Casanave they came to Bay St. Louis to be with Mrs. Jacob, and it was a happy meeting with Mr. Casanave's sister whom he had not seen for 50 years.

The family did not show the strain and tension of prison life as much as might have been expected but this might have been due partially to their two months of release from the prison camp.

"The camp was overcrowded," said Mr. Andres Casanave, "and the food inadequate but life was not too hard at first when we were allowed to buy food and other necessities." Later, he continued, "we were entirely cut off from outside communication."

When questioned as to the treatment by the Japs during their internment Mr. Casanave said the Japs ignored them never speaking to them unless it became absolutely necessary but they were much more cruel to the Philippines than to the Americans especially when the latter brought food to them which they were allowed to do at first.

Only the Red Cross food box reached us he said in the end time and though there was much talk of the Christmas boxes we would receive, none were delivered to us. Christmas came and went without one box being received.

Mr. Casanave said that after they were all interned in the Santa Tomas concentration camp where 4600 were released by the Americans, "we built our own city and raised green vegetables which gave us the necessary balance to our scant rations and doubtless kept us from falling ill even though we lost weight."

"Vegetables grow easily in the mild climate of the Philippines he said and that is why I cannot understand the Japs starving the prisoners," he said.

Mrs. Casanave said that she had undergone a serious operation while an internee and her doctor was Dr. Dana Nance of New Orleans who is said at his home now. "He saved my life," said Mrs. Casanave.

A quiet peace and happiness pervaded the Jacob home on Wednesday afternoon with the family from the Philippines smiling a welcome to the visitors.

With Mr. Emilio Casanave is his eight year old son, his wife died while in prison and with Mr. Pedro Casanave, Jr., is his 4 months old baby Pedro III who was born in the camp.

Thanks For a Good Job

The following letter was received by Scout Master L. S. Elliott of Boy Scout Troop No. 206 of Bay St. Louis, in appreciation for the playing cards sent for the Boys in Service to Bob Hawk on the Radio Program "Thanks to the Yanks."

Dear Mr. Elliott:

Just received your letter of April 20 and want you to know how much I appreciate the wonderful cooperation you and your Boy Scout Troop have given me in collecting playing cards for our wounded men in the hospitals.

I know that these cards will help many lonely boys pass what would be otherwise long weary hours pleasantly.

Sincerely,

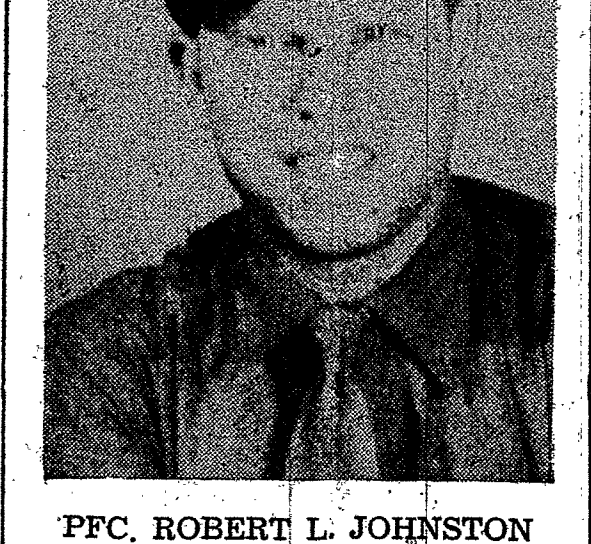
(Signed)

BOB HAWK

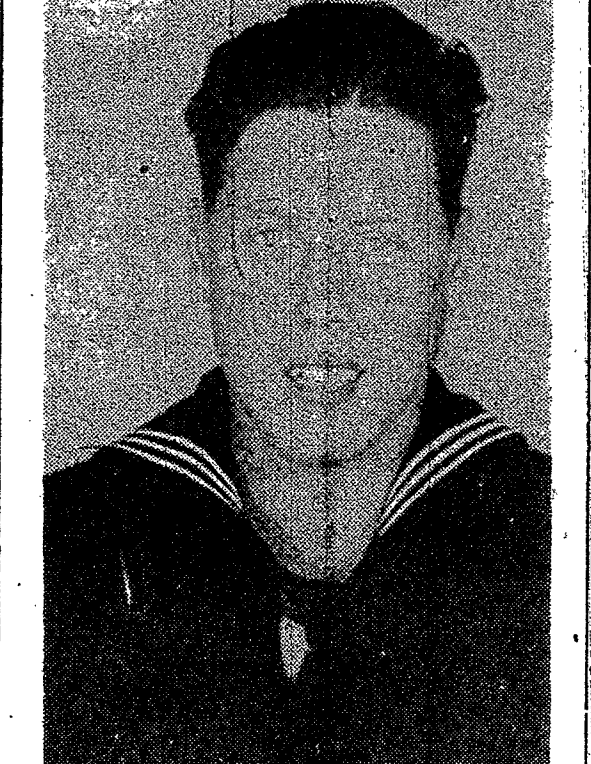
BROTHERS MEET AFTER SEPARATION OF TWO YEARS



PFC. ROBERT L. JOHNSTON



R. J. JOHNSTON, SF 1c



ELDEN J. JOHNSTON, GM 2c

Pfc. Robert L. Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Johnston, formerly of Bay St. Louis, now of Mobile, Robert was in the 3rd Marine Division on Iwo Jima and was wounded on February 24, and is now in a Naval Hospital in California. He also has two brothers in the Philippines, R. J. Johnston, SF 1c and Elden R. Johnston, GM 2c. Elden and Robert have recently met somewhere in the Philippines.

Tessie Smith, Cadet Charles Henry, Jeanne Ellis, Cadet Bill Athison; Evelyn Rapahay, Mrs. Paul Lagunas, the former Miss Marjorie Scalfide sang that beautiful Irish ballad "Mother McCrene" and as an encore rendered "Tasellis Serenade."

The entertainment was followed by the Grand March and in her graceful manner the queen paid her respects to the audience.

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May Festival at St. Joseph's Academy

By UDELL FAYRE

Junior Class S. J. A. On Saturday, May 3rd. Saint Joseph's Academy held its annual May Festival in St. Joseph's Auditorium.

The stage was beautifully and artistically decorated as a rose garden, with white trellises covered with roses and fern. The throne was set under an arbor of roses.

Miss Lou Ellen Viator reigned as queen of May with Robert LeBlanc as her king. Miss Gloria Saucier and William Hodgson were maid and duke of honor.

Miss Viator was charming in a lovely creation of net, with a lace bodice and fully gathered skirt, with designs of gold sequins. Her mantle was of aqua blue, white and gold. She carried an arm bouquet of American Beauty roses and in the grand march married a jeweled scepter.

Miss Saucier was lovely in an off shoulder white shadow organdy dress. She carried an arm bouquet of American Beauty roses.

The first to enter were Misses Dianne Blanchard, Barbara Ann Demoran, Grace Curet, Kathleen Benigno, Mary Frances Ladner, Gail Garner, Jeannette Monti, Norma Jean Tartavouille and Sandra Scalfide, who were garland bearers and who took their places on either side of the steps ascending the stage.

The maids preceded by their junior maids were met in the center of the auditorium by their dukes and junior dukes and were then escorted to their places on the floor in front of the stage, forming a semi circle. Their lovely dresses of pastel shades formed a very colorful picture. The maids carried arm bouquets of spring flowers. The junior maids in their evening dresses were very cute. They carried the colonial type bouquet.

The maid of honor and her junior maid, Jeanne Larrouer were escorted to the stage by their dukes William Hodgson and Tommy Monti; then amid a roll of drums the queen entered escorted by Cadet Taylor Wade of the U. S. Merchant Marine Cadet School. Preceding the queen were the crown bearer Carolyn Maunig and Junior Maid Gay Rhodes. The train bearers were Delta-Jacobi and Andrea Blaize. The queen was met at the foot of the stage by her king and it was there that he crowned her queen of May.

After the king and queen were seated, the court and audience were entertained by a dance by Miss Joyce Rapahay, Mrs. Paul Lagunas, the former Miss Marjorie Scalfide sang that beautiful Irish ballad "Mother McCrene" and as an encore rendered "Tasellis Serenade."

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DELEGATES ELECTED TO STATE CONVENTION OF K. OF C.

At the meeting of Pere LeDuc Council, 1522, Bay St. Louis, Monday night delegates were elected to the State Convention at Vicksburg, Miss., to take place May 27th and 28th. Following delegates were elected: John T. McCaleb, elected to represent Grand Knight as present Grand Knight is delegate automatically by virtue of holding a State Office. Arthur A. Scalfide to represent Past Grand Knight; Fred L. Herlihy, Warden, State Council; Alvin Genin, 1st Alternate Maurice Artigues, 2nd Alternate.

Inasmuch as the building debt has been reduced to \$1800.00 it was voted to issue notes in denominations of \$25.00 each non-interest bearing to cover balance of debt and sell these notes to members who wish to subscribe to same. These notes will be paid by drawing at least four the first meeting of each month thereby liquidating our entire debt in less than 18 months. This amount is already oversubscribed and each member will be limited to the purchase of only one note.

On Tuesday officially called V. E. Day, stores and offices were closed—nothing was open—and all was quiet. The awful realization of our war against the little monkey-like men of Japan was in everyone's mind—it had sobered everyone's thoughts and the man in the street and the woman in the home was thinking—not so much of a beaten and subdued Germany but of a still formidable foe in the East. People were talking in whispers, thinking of a victory won and another to be won.

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V. E. DAY CELEBRATED

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VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS TO SPONSOR POPPY SALE

At the regular monthly meeting of Hancock County Post No. 3253, Veterans of Foreign Wars, it was decided to sponsor the sale of the National "Buddy Poppy" on Saturday, May 26th, 1945, same being the Saturday before May 30th, National Memorial Day.

A feature of prize selling will be held in regard to the sale of these Poppies whereby any girl who wants to compete in the sale of same can contact the Post Commander Edw. A. Fayard of 516 Citizen Street, who will furnish the poppies and also a location for that day.

The prizes being offered by the Post consist of the following awards: 1st Prize—\$10.00 in War Savings Stamps.

2nd Prize—\$5.00 in War Savings Stamps.

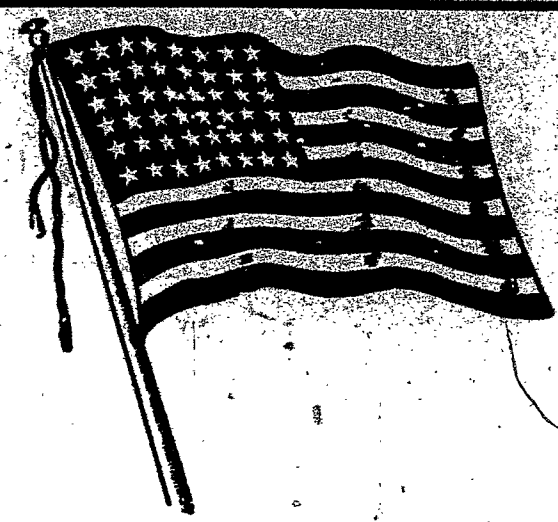
3rd Prize—\$4.00 in War Savings Stamps.

All awards of prizes will take place at the post dance, which will be held at the Woodmen of the World Hall, Saturday, May 26th, 1945. There are already a list of names for the contest, so don't delay if you are interested, to secure a supply of poppies, and compete in the contest, for by the sale of Poppies, we are "Honoring the dead by remembering the living." Part of these funds are given to various Veterans hospitals throughout the country.

Let's show our fighting men we are behind them, and put this sale over in a big way.

R. J. Turner Dies Suddenly Near Tyler, Texas.

R. J. Turner, former resident of Bay St. Louis, died suddenly on Saturday, May 5, 1945 at about 6 P. M. while overseeing some work



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MOTHER'S DAY

THE People of the United States have for years observed the Second Sunday of May as Mother's Day. It is a day that stands apart from other days and special occasions. This year Mother's Day will be observed with greater appreciation of Mothers whose sons have gone forth to war. Millions of young Americans, engaged in battle will stop amidst the fighting to breathe a prayer, and for the instant forget the slaughter and sacrifice in memory of happier days, when they cuddled close to their Mother's knees.

Words are incapable of expressing proper appreciation of the unselfish and devoted life of good mothers and it is given to most children to revere and appreciate their own mother as the noblest expression of this intimate human relationship.

It is well for men to revere motherhood but it is better for them to honor their own Mother, who will be pleased to witness some expression of a love that should not be assumed. Let us all join to make living Mothers conscious of respect and love and to reverently remember the virtues of those who have gone on ahead.

GULF COAST THE PLACE FOR REFINERIES

WITH Mississippi and Alabama fast becoming important oil producing states, the next logical problem to consider is what and where to process the crude. These states are not disposed to allow this valuable resource to go the way their timber did but want to enjoy and receive all the benefits possible from the oil development.

From Bay St. Louis to Pascagoula the entire coast has many advantages which should and will be properly presented to the factors interested in the refinery business.

Deep water is one thing which large refining interests seek and along with ports of sufficient capacity this section offers everything necessary in the way of business and commercial requirements and living conditions for the home seeker. It will be our purpose from week to week for several months to set out the numerous attractive advantages of the "Show Window of Mississippi."

Hancock County the extreme southwest county of this state offers much to the people who will be permanently associated with the refining business. This county is both summer and winter resort and from all it offers may be considered the home seekers' paradise. Ideal climate the year around. Beautiful scenery, productive soil and among other benefits from agricultural efforts cattle and dairying are fast becoming very profitable here. Educational and religious institutions are among the best in the state. Above all the people are real folks and the outsider will feel at home before he realizes it.

They say welcome and they mean it.—Mississippi Oil Review, April 17, 1945.

NATIONAL HONOR AT STAKE

THE War Department is to be commended for insisting upon strict adherence to the Geneva Convention, Article II of which provides for a food ration to prisoners of war equal in quantity and quality to that given troops in base camps.

The War Department has interpreted "equal" as meaning identical in nutritional value. Its menus vary from time to time in accordance with the food shortages in this country. A new menu, effective April 2nd, was drawn up weeks before the capture of prison camps in Europe, which revealed startling mistreatment of prisoners of war in Germany.

While there will be many Americans to demand "retaliation" for German treatment of American prisoners of war, clear-headed Americans will take pride in the reputation that the United States has as a law-abiding nation, and will, therefore, support the War Department in living up to the terms of such laws as the Geneva Convention, which this nation has solemnly accepted.

The same question has arisen in Great Britain, where the War Secretary, Sir James Grigg, told the House of Commons that he did not believe Germany was carrying out the terms of the Convention and that the Japanese "have never made the slightest attempt to observe it."

The War Secretary pointed out, however, that he did not believe that the House of Commons wished the government to imitate Germany or Japan in the repudiation of the Geneva Convention.

We make these observations without regard to the welfare of German prisoners of war. They deserve no special consideration in view of what has been reported from Germany. We ought not forget, however, that they have been captured in battle, that the conditions of their imprisonment are in accord with international agreements accepted by the United States and that this nation cannot afford to violate its pledged word, regardless of what may be done by international outlaws.

To imitate German brutality and to inflict injuries upon captured fighting men in a spirit of revenge will, in the long run, do more harm to the moral fiber of this nation than to the helpless individuals mistreated. The honor of the nation, as well as the honor of Americans prohibits the international mistreatment of helpless individuals, even though they happen to be prisoners of war.

There are days when we don't feel like working and there are other days when we do not work.

When war industries close there will be some Americans to regret the end of the war; they have made some profits out of the emergency.

The war against Japan, it waged with the same success that has crowned our efforts against Germany, will require a vast outpouring of men and supplies to overwhelm the foe. This is no time for a let-up.

Let's get set for the War Loan which is about to begin; every American can afford to invest some money for a good return, while other Americans die for the nation.

CLASSIFIED ADS

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RAWLEIGH Route now open in Hancock County where products sold 15 years to 500 families. Real opportunity for permanent, profitable work. 40 Dealers in Mississippi made sales of \$150 to \$300 the first week in April. Start promptly. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. MSE-1035, Memphis, Tenn. 5/43p.

LOST
ONE WALLET, containing one \$20 bill; one \$5 bill, silver dollar, shoe stamp and ring. Please return ring by mail. No questions asked. Frances Fauscia, P. O. Box 2, Bay St. Louis, Miss. 5/11p.

WILL TRADE 1934 model, 2 1/2 H. P., 2-Cylinder, EVINRUDE outboard motor, in good condition, for power lawn mower, in good running condition. Apply after 11 o'clock, Sunday, 651 North Beach. 5/11p.

WANTED TO PURCHASE
ONE ENGLISH SADDLE—Mrs. J. W. Dupiquier, Washington Road. 5/11p.

FURNITURE FOR SALE
DOUBLE and Single Beds, spring and mattress, dresser, porch swing and many other articles. Can be seen between 10 A. M. and 3 P. M. 102 Burnett Avenue, North Beach. 5/11p.

FOR SALE
FIVE Burner Oil Cook Stove with oven and oven regulator \$39.00. 16 inch Exhaust Fan (Electric) \$25.00. Three large suitcases and automobile trunk—cases fit in trunk or can be used separately. \$45.00. Royal Vacuum Cleaner, \$10.00. S. Sanford Levy, Star Route, Bay St. Louis, Miss. 5/11p.

FOR SALE
HANDSOME Victorian Wardrobe, hand carved Walnut with mirror doors, matching dresser and bed. Dining room table and server. Reasonable for quick sale. \$80. Jeff Davis Avenue, Waveland. 5/11p.

FOR SALE
THREE piece Maple set—two chairs and one chaise longue, good condition. Phone 2105. 5/11p.

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ONE GOOD Farm Mule. Peter P. Chiniche, O. S. T. 5/42p.

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FINE Hampshire Pigs, all sizes, \$5.00 and up. Phone James L. Crump, Bay St. Louis 2105, for appointments. 5/42p.

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FOR SALE
MISCELLANEOUS Household goods—service man's civilian suits, tuxedo, three women's coats, also hunting dogs—after 2 P. M. 374 Jeff Davis Avenue, Waveland. 5/11p.

FOR SALE
1 BATH SET (tub-toilet-lab.) 2 new apartment gas stoves (four burners, oven and broiler). 1 Heatrola. 1 new 75 pound capacity Ice Box. Apply 233 St. Charles Street. 5/11p.

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69 Price Panel Assistants To Assist Merchants Post Revised Price Lists

69 Price Panel Assistants in Hancock County will assist the merchants in posting the revised community price lists, now in effect for processed foods. A. H. Gregory, Chairman of the Hancock County War Price and Rationing Board, said today:

For most groceries there are five ceiling price lists, pointed out, the first for "dry" groceries, with a copy for each 1500 square feet of store space; the second for meats with copies for each 20 feet of meat counter; and the third for fresh fruits and vegetables posted at the point where these commodities are sold; the fourth for poultry, posted at the point of sale; and the fifth for soaps and washing powders, also posted at the point of sale.

"Together... the grocer and the customer... can do more than any other groups in the country to restrain runaway prices because the average family spends more for food than for any other essential," Mr. Gregory said.

Gives Review

Mrs. C. C. Henson, New Orleans, reviewed "Green Dolphin Street" by Elizabeth Goddard to a large group on Tuesday afternoon at the Episcopal Parish House.

Since its publication the book has been a "Best Seller" and Mrs. Henson is always so refreshing in her book reviews that the patrons of the library knew when the announcement was made that an uplifting and enjoyable afternoon was expected and they were not disappointed.

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ORTIE THEATRE SUNDAY AND MONDAY MICKEY ROONEY IN "NATIONAL VELVET"

M. G. M.'s Technicolor Masterpiece with Donald Crisp, Elizabeth Taylor, Anne Revere, Jackie Jenkins

A combination of veteran performers and youngsters whose names will mean more and more to movie audiences have brought to the screen one of the most delightful pictures of the season in "National Velvet," which Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer is presenting at the Ortie Theatre Sunday and Monday.

Mickey Rooney, who stars; Donald Crisp, Anne Revere, Reginald Owen and Arthur Treacher are the veterans. Jackie ("The Human Comedy") Jenkins, Elizabeth ("Lassie Come Home") Taylor and Angela ("Gaslight") Lansbury are the youngsters. "Together, under the direction of Clarence Brown, who has innumerable hits to his credit, they have produced an exciting, warm, human motion picture that will live long in the memories of the millions who will see it and love it."

Rooney, as MI Taylor, an ex-jockey, provides a different characterization from his usual ones—this one is comparable to his work in "The Human Comedy." As a distinguished youngster who finally finds a home with a family in a small English town, he becomes trainer of a horse won in a raffle by the 12-year-old Velvet Brown, whose passion is horses to the exclusion of everything else.

Mr. Brown's opposition to the idea of owning the horse and Mrs. Brown's encouragement, form the background for a series of adventures that will bring laughter and tears to your eyes as the youngsters realize a seemingly futile dream and succeed in entering their horse in the greatest of all steeplechase races, the Grand National at England's Aintree, with the girl riding the horse.

"National Velvet" is, altogether, superb entertainment. By all means see it.

Special Service

You are cordially invited to attend a special Mother's Day sermon at Corinth Baptist Church, Sunday, May 13, 11 A. M.

We especially want the mothers, fathers and loved one of our boys and girls on our Honor Roll to attend.

The service will be conducted by Rev. W. R. Barefoot, pastor.

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CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Heirs at law of Walter J. Ray, Deceased.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of June, A. D. 1945, to defend the suit No. 4957 in said Court of Mrs. Catherine Ray Norton et als, being a suit to establish heirship and to place heirs in possession of the estate of the said Walter J. Ray, Deceased, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 7th day of May, A. D. 1945. (SEAL)

A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

On Monday, May 28, 1945, there will be a meeting of the Hancock County School Board in the office of the County Superintendent of Education at 9:30 A. M.

The said meeting will be for the purpose of determining which routes will be bid off for the 1945-46 school session.

The above scheduled meeting is hereby authorized this, the 9th day of May, 1945.

(Signed) SAM L. FAVRE, JR.
President of Hancock County School Board.



Perhaps you're planning to have some change made in your listing in the new book. In that case, please tell us now so that you will be listed correctly.

Many details are involved in preparing a telephone directory. So, any advance notice you can give us of changes in listings will be appreciated.

Business concerns who desire listing in the classified directory (yellow pages) are requested to call the Telephone Business Office right away.

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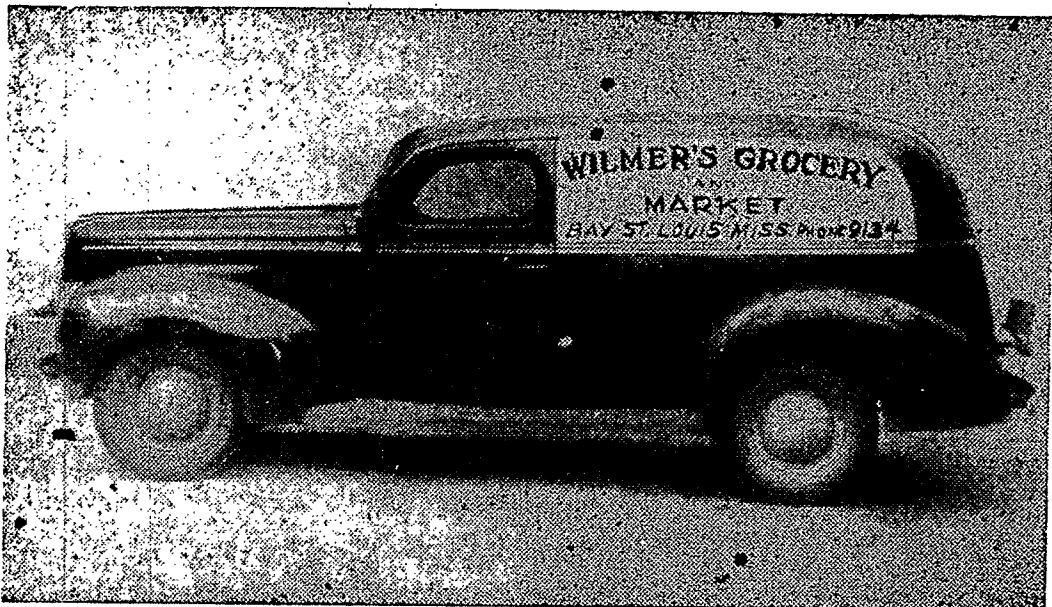
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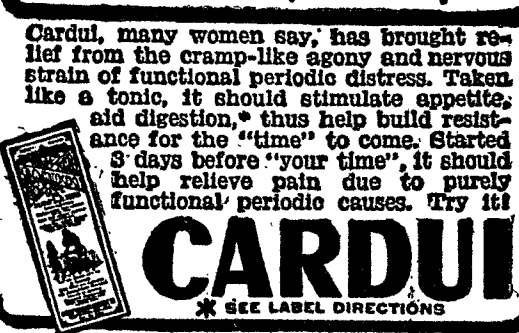
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CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Mrs. Anna McAuliffe Russell
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1945, to defend the suit No. 4938 in said Court of Genevieve McAuliffe Dana, Ellen McAuliffe McDonnell, Margarette McAuliffe Rogge, Catherine McAuliffe Buchanan, Honora McAuliffe Rose, Edward McAuliffe and Alice McAuliffe, and the following minors Patricia McAuliffe, Hugh McAuliffe, Dolores McAuliffe and Jack McAuliffe, acting herein by and thru their mother, Alice Judge McAuliffe, wherein you are a Defendant.
This 19th day of April, A. D. 1945.
(SEAL) A. G. FAYRE, Clerk.

SUMMONS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK
To: Mildred Lovelace, non-resident
Defendant whose residence, street and post office address is: 240 West Garden Street, Pensacola, Florida.
You are commanded to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi on the Second Monday of May, 1945 to answer and defend the suit in said Court of Daniel Lafontaine, wherein you are defendant for a divorce.
This 16th day of April, 1945.
(SEAL) A. G. FAYRE, Clerk.

SUMMONS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK
To: Mildred Lovelace, non-resident
defendant whose residence, street and post office address is: 240 Carondelet Street, New Orleans, La.
You are commanded to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said State on the Second Monday of May, 1945 to answer and defend the suit in said Court of Daniel Lafontaine, wherein you are defendant for a divorce.
This 16th day of April, 1945.
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This 16th day of April, 1945.
(SEAL) A. G. FAYRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To the unknown heirs at law or legatees of Robert McArty, Deceased, and all other persons having or claiming any right title or interest in and to the following described property, to-wit:
NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Section 20, T. 7, S. R. 16 W., Hancock County, Mississippi.
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said State, on the Second Monday of May A. D. 1945 to defend the suit No. 4937 in said Court of The H. Weston Lumber Company.
The same being a suit to quiet and confirm complainants title to said land above described, wherein you are a defendant.
This 19th day of April, A. D. 1945.
(SEAL) A. G. FAYRE, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Mrs. Annie Cearn Ray, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 25th day of April, A. D. 1945, and, therefore, notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court, within six months from this date, failure to do so will bar the claim.
This 24th day of April, A. D. 1945.
MRS. GERTRUDE RAY NORTON, Executrix of the Estate of Mrs. Annie Cearn Ray, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Mrs. Corinne deMontluzin Lewis, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1945, and, therefore, notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court, within six months from this date, failure to do so will bar the claim.
This 16th day of April, A. D. 1945.
BEULAH LADNER POTTS, Administratrix of the Estate of Mrs. Corinne deMontluzin Lewis, deceased.

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THUNDERHEAD — SON OF FLICKA" AT A. & G. THEATRE SUNDAY AND MONDAY

Is Acclaimed Even Greater Than "Flicka!" — Roddy McDowall, Preston Foster, Rita Johnson Head Cast of Spectacular Technicolor Hit

Out of the greatness that was "My Friend Flicka," a grander story, with even greater heart, comes thundering to the screen when 20th Century-Fox's brilliant Technicolor filming of "Thunderhead—Son of Flicka," based on Mary O'Hara's best-loved, best-seller, opens Sunday at the A. & G. Theatre. With Roddy McDowall, Preston Foster and Rita Johnson heading the cast, and given the benefit of the most spectacular outdoor production of the year, the film is being acclaimed as a truly thrilling adventure, more magnificent and wonderful than anything yet screened.

A sequel to "My Friend Flicka," "Thunderhead—Son of Flicka" carries the story of Ken McLaughlin, the wistful, sensitive boy who loves horses, Rob McLaughlin, his rancher-father, and Nell, the mother of the family, on from where its sensational successful screen predecessor left off with Roddy McDowall, all Preston Foster and Rita Johnson playing the original roles in which they won such tremendous acclaim. Since sequels always invite comparison, the new book had to tell an even better story, and the boy hero, now fourteen years old, had to face problems only an older youngster could solve. How successfully "Thunderhead—Son of Flicka" meets the challenge can best be judged by the consensus of Hollywood opinion, marking it as more outstanding in every way. Only Mary O'Hara could write a grander story, only the same stars could give it greater heart, and only 20th Century-Fox could make it bigger in every way than the never-to-be-forgotten "My Friend Flicka."

The picture's tremendously exciting action sequences take place against the breath-takingly beautiful settings of America's colorful Western mountain ranges. Famed Bridal Veil Falls and the rugged Oregon gorges are the scene for much of the film. For the first time in motion picture history, Utah's fabulous Bryce Canyon is seen in all the colors of the spectrum. The impressive grandeur of Zion National Park spreads out in a panorama of varicolored majesty. The fantastic formations of Red Rock Canyon and Cedar Breaks National Monument are backgrounds for the picture's stirring climax. All this beauty is used to heighten dramatic effect, and makes "Thunderhead—Son of Flicka" a spectacle of eye-filling splendor.

Also included in the brilliant cast of the picture are James Bell, Diana Hale, Carleton Young and Ralph Sanford. "Thunderhead—Son of Flicka" was directed by Louis King and produced by Robert Bassler from the screen play by Dwight Cummins and Dorothy Yost.

WFA To Pay Hancock County Butterfat Producers 17 Cents Subsidy For April

Announcement made by the War Food Administration that a feed subsidy of 17 cents a pound will be paid to farmers for the butterfat they produce in April is good news to cream producers of Hancock County. A subsidy of 10 cents a pound was paid for butterfat produced in the first three months of this year.

The payment of the April subsidy is in accordance with the provisions of an amendment to Senate Bill No. 298, extending the life of the Commodity Credit Corporation for two years.

This bill, which is intended to stimulate butterfat production, was the last one signed by President Roosevelt and was subscribed by him a few months before he died. Under the provisions of the amendment, the subsidy paid to producers of butterfat will now be based on the weighted average national subsidy on whole milk for each month. That is, the per lb. subsidy on butterfat paid to cream producers will be one-fourth of the production payments on 100 pounds of whole milk produced in the various regions throughout the nation. Officials of the National Cream Quality Program estimate that the average monthly subsidy to be paid to cream producers in 1945 will average about 12 cents per pound on the butterfat that they produced.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Corinne deMontluzin Lewis, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1945, and, therefore, notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court, within six months from this date, failure to do so will bar the claim.
This 24th day of April, A. D. 1945.

RENE deMONTLUZIN, Administratrix of the Estate of Corinne deMontluzin Lewis, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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This 24th day of April, A. D. 1945.

Buy War Bonds
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AWARDED PURPLE HEART

With the 129th Infantry Regiment on Luzon Island—(Special)—Award of the Purple Heart Medal, America's oldest military decoration, has been made to Staff Sergeant Clarence P. Hoda, 25, Perkinson, Mississippi, for wounds sustained in action against the Japanese in the Philippine Campaign.

Hoda, a rifle squad leader in the 129th Infantry Regiment, was wounded in the left leg by a shell fragment during the battle of Manila, CIL, making the capital fight, his regiment made an amphibious assault into the old Intramuros (Walled City) that resulted in the capture of 400-year-old Fort Santiago, Spanish-built fortress along the Pasig River.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hoda, Route 1, Pass Christian, Mississippi, he is married to the former Virgie Necaise who lives on Rt. 2, Perkins. He has been overseas 23 months, serving also in the New Hebrides and the Solomon Islands. He landed with his regiment—part of the 37th Infantry Division—at Lingayen Gulf on "D" Day, helping to make the initial beachhead.

On the rapid sweep to Manila, Hoda took part in the six-day battle at Fort Stetsburg. Doughboys of the 129th, by smashing enemy resistance in the fort area, secured the use of the airstrip installations at Clark Field. Later, with Manila liberated, the regiment, although still a member of the 37th, was shifted to Northern Luzon to fight temporarily alongside its parent unit, Illinois' 33rd Infantry Division.

Black Market Facts

Some people seem to have lost sight of the fact that the intensity of the war in Europe and in the Pacific—Now at its height—has brought an unprecedented need for supplies and food. To give an idea, the invasion of the Jap stronghold of Iwo Jima alone required enough fuel oil to fill a train of tank cars (10,000 gallon capacity) 238 miles long. . . . enough gasoline to operate 301,730 automobiles for a full year. . . . enough lubricating oil for a complete oil change in 466,000 automobiles. . . . enough ammunition to fill 469 train cars.

And, enough food to feed a city the size of Atlanta for 30 days. This, mind you, is the supply required for one small operation in a battlefront that extends hundreds of miles on two continents. The food supply is more critical than at any time since the war began, and as you know, the scarcer an item becomes, the greater the Black Market menace.

We are now witnessing the disgraceful spectacle of a meat Black Market that is a travesty on the sacrifice the men and boys of our country have made, and are making every hour around the clock. The situation is such as to demand of you and the boards a vigilance such as you have never been called on to show and a militant action to stamp out any and every illegal traffic in meat that comes to your notice.

It is necessary for you and all Good Soldiers to wage an intensive campaign directed at the person who buy as well as those who sell in the Black Market.

There is no mystery about a Black Market. It is as simple as this: A person who buys or sells at a price over the ceiling is engaging in a Black Market.

A person who buys or sells without exchange of proper rationing currency is dealing in a Black Market.

OPA Distributes Ceiling Prices For Processed Foods

Revised community ceiling prices for processed foods, now in effect, have been distributed by OPA to retailers in Hancock County and have been posted for the guidance of the customers. A. H. Gregory, chairman of the Hancock War Price and Rationing Board announced today.

The new price list, Mr. Gregory pointed out, revealed that prices in general, as indicated by the 500 or more items listed, have not increased.

Mr. Gregory called to attention the fact that the new posters may be recognized easily because they are printed in brown ink. He also added that OPA has authorized the addition of several new items, including certain spices, apple cider, and canned apricots.

Grocers in Hancock County are carrying out the new regulations by placing a price list so that the customer can read it at a distance of not more than two feet, and one poster for every 1,500 square feet of floor space, Mr. Gregory said.

"On the part of the grocer," he continued, "it is another demonstration of his adherence to legal ceiling prices. His customer has a responsibility, too . . . to make use of the lists in order to satisfy herself that the prices she pays are within legal limits."

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Local Soldier With Unit Cited For Meritorious Service

Headquarters, 609th Ordnance Base Armament Maintenance Battalion, England — The Meritorious Service Unit Plaque was recently awarded to this battalion for superior performance of duty during the preparatory phase of the invasion of Western Europe and the build-up following D-Day.

Working a round the clock, seven day a week schedule, the battalion personnel operating one of the largest maintenance and supply depots in the United Kingdom met every deadline required of them during the invasion weeks.

Technical Sergeant Claiborne J. Ladner, 32, 439 Ballentine street, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi is warehouse foreman with a base depot company attached to the battalion.

"Credit for the award goes to every man in the outfit," explained Lieutenant Colonel Wilbert D. Partridge, Cleveland, Ohio, commander of the battalion. "They worked hard, they earned it and they deserve it." With the award the members of the unit are entitled to wear a two-inch gold wreath, the Meritorious Service Unit insignia, on their right sleeve.

Sergeant Ladner is the husband of Mrs. Beatrice J. Ladner of the Ballentine Street address and the son of Mrs. Alceda T. Ladner of Bay St. Louis. Before his induction he was employed by the H. L. White Company in Poplarville, Mississippi.

Stationed at Gulfport, Miss.

Gulfport Army Air Field, Miss., May 9, 1945—1st. Lieutenant Fred E. Fayard, Jr., Bay St. Louis, Miss., has reported to this heavy bombardment station of the Third Air Force and has been assigned to duty in the training program for B-29 combat crews.

Commissioned a second lieutenant in December, 1943, Lt. Fayard served at Selman Field, La., before going overseas with the 15th Air Force. He reported here from Ellington Field, Texas. He was promoted to 1st. lieutenant in September, 1944.

A native of Bay St. Louis, Lt. Fayard attended St. Stanislaus.

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Terms of Guaranteed Farm Loans Explained

Discussing conditions and terms of loans to World War II veterans under provisions of the G. I. Bill of Rights, T. W. Patten, Secretary-Treasurer of the Picayune National Farm Loan Association explains that mortgages will be required on all guaranteed loans over \$500. Smaller loans may be guaranteed if they meet all other requirements of the act even though the lender does not require a mortgage.

Loans for purchasing a farm or constructing a residence thereon shall be secured by a first lien on the property except as provided in section 505 of the Act. This section permits the guaranty of loans secured by second mortgages where the first mortgage is held, guaranteed or insured by a Federal agency.

The loan must meet certain other conditions in order to qualify for a guaranty.

Among these are:
(1) The interest rate may not exceed 4 per cent on unpaid principal balances and on any advances made by the lender to the borrower's account for taxes, assessments, premiums, or emergency repairs needed to protect the property.
(2) Charges in line with local custom which have been paid or incurred by the lender, such as appraisals, surveys, abstracts, attorney and recording fees, insurance premiums, revenue stamp, etc., may be withheld from the gross amount of the loan.

(3) The loan may all come due at one time if
(a) The maturity date is not more than 5 years from the date of

the note; and
(b) the amount of the loan plus all prior debts secured by the property is not more than two-thirds its "reasonable normal value."

(4) All other loans must be amortized. On real property the lender may agree with the borrower not to require principal payments for 3 years or less. From then on, payments must be large enough to repay the debt in not more than 20 years from date of loan.

(5) With the consent of the borrower, the payments may include sums to cover taxes, special assessment, and insurance premiums.

(6) amortized loans the note or mortgage must contain a provision granting any person liable for the debt the right to pay at any time any amount on the debt with no premium charged for the payment. Term loans must provide the same right of prepayment subject to 30 days' notice.

(7) Buildings must ordinarily be insured against fire and other hazards in accordance with usual community practices.

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"7 DAYS FOR THE 7th"



GET THE JOB DONE BY MAY TWENTY-ONE

The seven biggest days in war financing history of our county and state begin Monday, May 14th. That's the opening date of the 7th War Loan drive.

"Seven Days for the Seventh" is our motto with the all-out battle-cry of "Let's Get the Job Done By May Twenty-One."

The challenge can be met more easily in seven days than in seven weeks — if everyone does his share early in this united effort.

Our county is faced with its biggest E-Bond buying task in history. This means that more individuals than ever before must invest in the safest, best security in the world — E-Bonds.

Our big E-Bond quota, with our plan to reach it in the shortest drive yet, means that during the seven days we have set aside for the 7th, every person — from the youngest to the oldest — must either make a direct purchase or a direct pledge to buy E-Bonds by May

Twenty-One. By doing this, we will know exactly where we stand.

Our objective to wind up this drive in seven

days is a good one. And if you agree, why not join in and make this objective a reality by buying — or pledging to buy — all the E-Bonds you can as soon as possible after the drive opens!

War costs are at all time highs, and they will continue to be high until the final shot is fired. By investing in War Bonds, you not only help the war effort, but you fight inflation, save, and prepare for peacetime years.

Think these things over — and remember the motto — "Seven Days for the Seventh" and our battle-cry — "Let's Get the Job Done By May Twenty-One."

You, the individual, are the one upon whom your county chairman and other workers must depend to make our drive a success. You won't let them down, will you? Remember, we only have two drives this year instead of three, so invest more each time.



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We've all made an important discovery in the last three years—that our nation is one big family whose every member is essential to a country's will to win. There's a new understanding of the other fellow's problems... a new appreciation of our individual ability and resourcefulness. We've seen with pride what our younger generation can accomplish... and we're determined to safeguard their right to opportunity in the land they call home.



The women of America have proved their resourcefulness in the kitchen in countless ways. Many have discovered that a glass of cold, golden Budweiser makes their simple wartime meals taste better.

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plus
Directed by Clarence Brown
Produced by Pandro S. Berman

SPECIAL NOTICE—To accommodate the public, Theatre will open this Sunday only at 1:45 P. M. Features Start:

1st Feature—2:26 P. M. 3rd Feature—7:26 P. M.
2nd Feature—4:56 P. M. 4th Feature—9:35 P. M.

Sellers News

Mrs. Pearl Ladner, had a week's vacation which she spent at her home in Necaise. Her daughter Mrs. Walter Shaw was also with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mitchell spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shaw and Mrs. Fay Shaw motored to New Orleans last Thursday combining business with pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cretors and Mrs. Delphine Curet and Mrs. Lorella Curet visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson Sunday evening.

Mr. Lester Deschamps is home on a furlough.

Mrs. Ralph Saucier and baby, Gay, were week end visitors of Mrs. Florence Saucier.

Mr. R. J. Rouse has been on the sick list for the past week but is some better at this writing.

Mr. Toxie Smith has a few days home with his wife and parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Herrington were visitors Sunday of Mr. and

Mrs. Willie Ladner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Shaw of Pascagoula visited in the home of their parents over the week end.

Miss Dorothy Cuevas returned home after spending a few days in Poplarville hospital. She has improved some but still is confined to bed.

Mrs. Oliver Cuevas met with an accident last week while riding in a wagon. The horse ran away. While attempting to get out of the wagon she was knocked down and her back was slightly injured.

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Kiln News

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mauffray and daughter Patsy and Mr. and Mrs. Moody Gerin and son, Donald Ray, spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Bennett.

Mrs. Wilma Necaise received word that her husband Nicole J. Necaise, Jr., was seriously wounded in the battle of the Philippines. He was recently promoted to the rank of Sergeant.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fuente and daughter Barbara of Picayune visited friends and relatives in Kiln Tuesday.

Chester Travica, Jr., visited his uncle Mr. Lander Necaise, while on a delayed route to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Travica, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shiyou, visited Mrs. Delphine Curet Tuesday.

Rev. Father Dudink of St. Augustine Seminary has taken Father Denis' place while he is in the hospital. Father Dudink is a fine speaker. More Catholics should turn out to hear him.

Miss Beverly Jean Mauffray celebrated her tenth birthday with a party given at the home of her parents in Kiln Sunday, May sixth.

The two layer cake was decorated in pink and white with ten candles in the center. Cake and punch was served after which the children played games.

Those attending the party were: Beverly Jean and C. J. Mauffray, Fay, Huey, and Joey Curet, Margaret, Josie, Harlan and Doris Bennett, Larry, Vester, Jr., Lamar Brenda and Diane Ladner, Harlan, Sylvia and Randall Mauffray, Claire Cameron, Billy Fay Glass, Maria Rosary and Susan Favre, Lana Gail Garriga.

Gainesville News

Mrs. Cora Miller, Mrs. Arnold Carver, Mr. Herbert Jones, Mrs. H. E. Miller and son, Jimmie, were visitors in New Orleans Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Wilson has returned to her home in Liberty, after spending awhile here with her mother Mrs. Joe Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Warren were visitors in Flat Top Sunday.

Mrs. Polly Whitney and granddaughter, Gail, were visitors in New Orleans last week.

Mrs. Gussie Davis and Miss Junita Jones are visitors in Liberty, Miss. this week.

A lovely party was given in the home of Mrs. John Jones honoring the birthday of her daughter, Gracie. After playing many games, re-

freshments of cake and lemonade was served. She received many lovely gifts. About thirty-five being present.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilman Chapman were visitors here Sunday.

Leetown News

Mrs. Woodrow Spiers has returned from Baton Rouge to live in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lee are the proud parents of a baby girl born May 3, 1945.

Mrs. John L. Baker visited her daughters, Virgie and Mildred who are working at Jackson.

Word has been received from Cpl. David Baker. He has been moved to an island in the Pacific.

ORTIE'S THEATRE

Friday
"THE GREAT FLAMARION"
with ERIC VON STROHEIM
MARY BETH HUGHES
Also Short—Film Volville
Latest News
Regular Friday Attraction

Saturday
TWO BIG FEATURES!
CONSTANCE MOORE
BRAD TAYLOR in
"ATLANTIC CITY"
2ND FEATURE
DON "RED" BARRY in
"CARSON CITY CYCLONE"
Plus Chapter No. 14 "Black Arrow"

Sunday-Monday
MICKEY ROONEY in
M. G. M.'s Technicolor Masterpiece
"NATIONAL VELVET"
with DONALD CRISP
ELIZABETH TAYLOR
ANNE REVERE
JACKIE JENKINS
Plus Cartoon
Latest Univ. News
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Tuesday
"SING ME A SONG OF TEXAS"
with ROSEMARY LANE
HAL MCINTYRE and His Orchestra
SLIM SUMMERSVILLE
NOAH BEERY
Also—Short—Latest News
Regular Tuesday Attraction

Wednesday-Thursday
IRENE DUNNE
CHARLES BOYER in
"TOGETHER AGAIN"
Plus Chap. No. 2 Jungle Queen
Latest Fox News

Waveland News

The following girls took part in the County Achievement Day contests, and came out with fine records of which we are very proud. Clothing Class 1—Julia Burns, first place; Home Improvement Class 2—Audrey Bourgeois, first place; Beautification Record Contest—Mabel Bourgeois, first place. Waveland School has been represented in these contests each year and has sent three winners to take part in the State Contests, which are held each year at Mississippi State College. Those representing the County in the State Contests in former years were Rosemary Holderith, Zelida Bourgeois and Anna Mae Bourgeois.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Brunet of New Orleans, have purchased the Banderet home on Dubuc Lane. Mr. Brunet commutes to New Orleans, to work.

Mrs. Henry Taylor of New Orleans, is the guest of Mrs. Walter Carver for several days.

The many friends of Mrs. John Eckerle are glad that she has recovered from her illness, and is able to be out again.

The schoolmates of Leah Price are glad to have her back at school again. Leah has been home with a bad knee.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hopkins and daughter of New Orleans, but formerly of Waveland, visited Miss Mary Bourgeois at her home on the beach over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gauget have rented the Steven Leach cottage on Coleman avenue, for the summer season.

The Perrault Claibornes were over for the week end with a party of friends.

Miss Margie Swenson entertained twenty-seven girls over the week end at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. E. Helback, on Soubal avenue.

Mrs. E. N. Spence is visiting her son in Birmingham, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Dudley have opened their summer home on Beach Boulevard for the summer season.

Miss Betty Carrio, who is employed in New Orleans, spent the week end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Bourgeois and daughter, Mrs. James A. Perron, and granddaughter, Margie Perron, spent a few days as guests of Mrs. Bourgeois' brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carco and niece, Mrs. Howard Berthold. While there a celebration was held in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Bourgeois' forty-first wedding anniversary. A delightful time was had.

Mrs. J. McConnell is in Monroe, La., visiting relatives.

Clermont Harbor

The Misses Margaret, Nell and Yvonne Cuevas of Dedeaux are spending the week with Miss Joyce Ferrill.

Mrs. Lester Harvey and family of New Orleans spent Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Ming and son of New Orleans were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Perkins.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Saleeby sympathize with them in the loss of their infant son. Mrs. Saleeby has returned from the hospital and is doing nicely.

Mrs. Karl Saleeby of New Orleans is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. John Saleeby.

Four eighth grade pupils will receive certificates on May 26th, promoting them to High School. The class has one boy, John Klein and three girls, Joycelyn Bourgeois, Clara Garcia and Inez Ladner.

Married people don't worry so much if they have a savings account



Married people with children know that some days bring unusual worries. Those with savings accounts don't worry so much or so often because many problems that arise in the average home can be solved if immediate cash is available. This has always been true and it is true today. If you are employed, we suggest that you set aside each week a certain amount for your savings account. This is almost a sure cure for most "worries." It's one way to be pretty sure of always coming in "a winner."

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Flat Top News

Mrs. Leo Bond and children from Baxterville, Miss., are spending a while with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin.

Mr. Bill Hudson was a business visitor in Hattiesburg last week.

Miss Glenna Dill is visiting her sister Mrs. Bill Greenes in New Orleans, La. this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Warren from Gainesville visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Spiers visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Warren. Mrs. Warren is still on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin were visitors in Hattiesburg last week.

Friends of Hilary W. Lott regret to hear that he is suffering with a broken arm.

Mrs. Clinton Martin and Mrs. Mardice Jones were visitors in Hattiesburg a few days ago.

A. & G. Theater

AMES & GASPARD, Props.
G. AMES, Mgr.

Thursday-Friday, May 10-11
LAIRD CREGAR, LINDA DARNELL & GEORGE SANDERS in
"HANGOVER SQUARE"
News and Cartoon

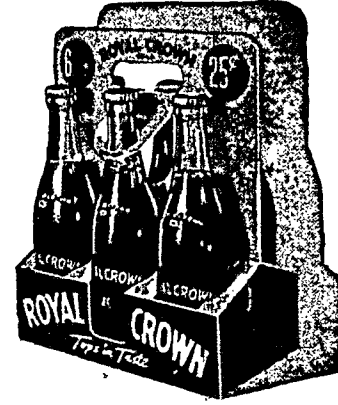
Saturday, 12
ROY ROGERS & DALE EVANS in
"THE LIGHTS OF OLD SANTE FE"

(A Western Musical) Man Hunt of Mystery Island No 7 and Comedy.

Sunday-Monday, 13-14
RODDY McDOWALL, PRESTON ROBERTS, RITA JOHNSON & JAMES BELL in
"THUNDERHEAD"
SON OF FLICKA
(In Technicolor)
News and Cartoon

Tuesday-Wednesday, 15-16
ROBT. LOWERY & MARJORIE WEAVER in
"FASHION MODEL"
Short Subjects

Thursday-Friday, 17-18
PAT O'BRIEN, CAROLE LANDIS & GEORGE MURPHY in
"HAVING A WONDERFUL CRIME"



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City Echoes

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Witter have moved to one of the Engman cottages in Booklet Street.

—Mrs. Nina Stillwell left Tuesday for Collinston, La., where she will be the guest of Mrs. Charlotte Thompson.

—Mrs. Jesse Gray and attractive daughter Miss Ruth Gray enjoyed a shopping trip to New Orleans, on Friday.

—Lieut. and Mrs. I. J. Di George of New Orleans, La., are enjoying a short visit on the Coast. They are guests of the Hotel Reed.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McDonald had as their house guest over the week end their daughter-in-law, Mrs. David McDonald, of Wiggins, Miss.

—City Commissioner H. Grady Perkins is rapidly improving from the serious and painful injury he received last week while repairing a gas main.

—The latest report from the sick room of Mrs. Theodore Stechmann, Deputy Chancery Clerk, is that she is greatly improved and hopes to be out soon.

—Mrs. Essie Schoen of Atlanta, Ga., is spending some time with her granddaughter, Mrs. Seymour Samuels, Jr., and her handsome young sons, Seymour and Charles.

—It is with pleasure that we noticed our genial friend, Mr. M. A. Gilmore (affectionately known as Slim) on the job after being ill. That's great but don't take it too fast, Slim.

—On Sunday afternoon the Misses Ida and Mae Edwards accompanied their brothers Messrs. John and George Edwards to Gulfport, where they visited Mrs. Edwin Edwards and family of that city.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. Oliver, Mrs. Breaux and Mrs. A. Toups, all of Gulfport, Miss., drove to Bay St. Louis on Saturday to attend the St. Joseph Academy Festival, in which Miss Janet Oliver was a member of the court.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Marshall have returned to their home after two weeks spent with their son, Capt. Chapman Marshall of the Atlantic Transport Command, who was enjoying a two week leave in Miami, Fla.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. Murtagh, accompanied by Miss Doris Little, Miss Frances Seaford and Miss Emily Claire Murtagh of Port Allen, La., visited here last week. This interesting group attended the St. Joseph May Festival while in Bay St. Louis.

—It is with genuine pleasure that the many friends of Lieut. Mark Solomon are welcoming him home, having been given a well deserved furlough after 30 missions over Germany. Like all of our young men, Lieut. Solomon just don't care to talk about "over there," but he did say, "I'm surely glad to be home."

—Mrs. Mabel Godchaux was hostess to about 45 guests when she celebrated her birthday on Tuesday, May 8th. Since May 8th was V-E Day, it is quite certain that the importance of this day was also celebrated by members of this delightful party. Mrs. Godchaux's home is in Pass Christian. Mrs. Clem B. Penrose and Mrs. Carl Marshall of Bay St. Louis attended.

ENTERTAIN CLASSMATES

On Sunday, May 6th, Misses Carol Biguenet and Theresa Smith were hostesses to their classmates at a supper given at the Reed Hotel. The table was artistically decorated for the occasion and each young lady was presented with a box of stationery, appropriate to her needs. After the supper, the class attended the picture show. Those in the class are: Myrtle Martinolich, Charlene Martinolich, Ruth Claire Tucker, Rose Richardson, Louise Ellen Viator, Alma Ploue, Anna Pitolo, Evelyn Tudury, Mary Jaclyn Robertson, Mary Jane Donlin, Anvill Jeanne Ellis, Carol Biguenet and Theresa Smith. These young ladies were accompanied by Mrs. A. K. Martinolich and Mrs. L. S. Elliott.

CO-HOSTESSES AT LUNCHEON

Mrs. James A. Evans and Mrs. Wm. R. Pitcairn, Jr., were co-hostesses at a most enjoyable luncheon, given at the Reed Hotel honoring Mrs. Paul Lacoste a recent bride. The table, setting about 20 guests had as its center piece a large bowl of Shasta daisies and the bridal hand painted place cards were very dainty. The bride was presented with a lovely gardenia corsage.

MRS. HOWARD SMITH HONORED

Mrs. Howard Smith was honored at a farewell cocktail and luncheon, given by members of the Wednesday Bridge Club, at Mollere's Chicken-burger. Mrs. Smith is a popular member of the younger set and will be missed by her many friends. Those present were, besides the honoree, Mesdames Mark Steiner, Robert Dornay, Harry Barragan, Norman Ray, John J. Okland, John Lachain, Robert Camors and Don McCulloch.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ennis (Babe) Johnson announce the birth of their second daughter, born April 20th. This is the third child to bless this happy family. She was baptized and given the name of Margaret Mary on Sunday, May 6th, at the church of Our Lady of the Gulf, with Rev. Wm. Clark performing the ceremony. Sponsors were Mr. Ronald Carver and Miss Mary Benigno.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish, through this medium, to express our sincere thanks and gratitude for the many messages and other expressions of sympathy extended to us upon hearing of the death, in the European War area, of our son PFC Eugene Bernond, U. S. Army. We shall cherish and remember the kindness of these friends always.

Sincerely,
MR. AND MRS. RENE BERMOND

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Bay St. Louis, Miss.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT:

Naturally, I am disappointed in the results of the special election held Tuesday, but I am appreciative of the fine manner that my friends assisted me.

At this time, however, I desire to congratulate our new district attorney, Luther W. Maples, and wish for him a successful administration. I will give him my whole-hearted cooperation.

Sincerely,

GASTON H. HEWES

ENTERTAINS ON BIRTHDAY

Miss Mary Staehle entertained a few friends at her home on Saturday evening on the occasion of her birthday. She and her guests later attended the May Festival at St. Joseph's Academy.

Miss Staehle's guests were Misses Myrtle and Charlene Martinolich, Rose Richardson, Ramona Adams, Gladys Capdepon, Billy and Georgia Rose Staehle and Mrs. John Senac, Bay St. Louis; Misses Elizabeth Dambink, Alma Margaret Hayden, Helen Aschbacher and Mrs. Edith Lozes, Pass Christian.

Guest from the Merchant Marine Cadet School were Dr. Richard Horowitz, Ensign Gordon Valentine, Lieut. (j. g.) Faulkus and Cadets R. D. Evans, C. E. Miller, J. F. Vichey, E. A. Kelley, R. B. Thomas, F. E. Lousp, A. Joseph Richardson, B. F. Patton, James Tierney, Norwood Vucich, Joseph Sheppard, Jesse Blanton and B. Haywood.

OUT OF TOWN GUESTS ATTEND MAY FESTIVAL AT S. J. A.

Among the many out-of-town guests, who came to see the Saint Joseph Academy May Festival were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Viator of Biloxi, the queen's parents; Mrs. A. Brown and daughter Shirley Ann; Mrs. Nita Premeaux, all of Biloxi; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ellis and Mrs. J. W. Connaughton of Mobile, Ala.; and Mrs. V. S. Robertson of Lafayette, La.

MEMBERS OF GIRLS' CLUB ENJOY PLEASANT EVENING

A most enjoyable evening was had by the members of the "Girls' Club" at the home of Mrs. C. C. McDonald on Saturday night. The guest of honor was Mrs. David McDonald, of Wiggins, Miss., other guests were Mesdames Wm. R. Pitcairn, Jr., Don McCulloch, Richard Madden, Edwin Murtagh, Jr., L. A. Rogers, Robert Lee Hamilton, Edward Larroux and Charles White.

ENJOY PICNIC

A most enjoyable picnic was had by forty couples at Bell's Ferry, near Cuevas, Miss. It was a real picnic with hot dogs, beer and overflowing baskets of all kinds of picnic foods. The members of the U. S. Merchant Marine Cadet Basic School Officers Club voted it a perfect occasion.

All sorts of games were the feature of the day's entertainment.

REGULAR MEETING OF CENTRAL SCHOOL PTA

Central School P. T. A. held its regular meeting at the school on Tuesday afternoon. At this meeting the installation of the new officers took place with Mrs. F. J. Nelson officiating.

The officers are: Mrs. Albert Biehl, president. Mrs. J. T. Wolfe, vice-president. Mrs. Sam Whitfield, Treasurer. Mrs. A. J. Noto, secretary. The program for the afternoon was in charge of Miss Lucile Noble who discussed the topic, "Family Recreation." Delicious refreshments were served and a delightful social followed.

Straw Hats..



Women's Garden Hats
15 1/2 -In. Diameter 59c
Natural color straw, with fine stencil design and bound edges.



Men's Harvest Hats
13 3/4 -In. Diameter 59c
Natural straw, with 2 metal eyelets and leatherette sweat patch.



Children's Sun Hats
10 1/2 -In. Diameter 49c
Natural straw with stencil design brim and cloth bound edges.

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Mrs. Chas. M. St. Amant Dies at Home of Daughter

On Sunday, May 4, Mrs. Emma Love Caney, beloved wife of Mr. Charles M. St. Amant, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Simpson. Mrs. St. Amant was a native of New Orleans but had lived in Bay St. Louis about twenty years. Funeral services were conducted from the Briede Funeral Home, followed by Mass at St. Francis Assisi Catholic Church. Interment was in St. Louis Cemetery No. 2, on Tuesday, May 8th.

Mrs. St. Amant was a devoted wife and mother. She was a devout Catholic and beloved by all who knew her. She is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Wm. Simpson, Miss Lucille St. Amant and one son Ewell J. St. Amant, Sr. She is also survived by one brother Joseph Caney of Prentiss, Miss.; five grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Those attending the funeral from Bay St. Louis were Misses Miriam and Levia Engman, Mesdames Fritch, Carver, Tony Benvenuti and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McCaleb.

Hospital Shower This Saturday, May 12

On Monday, May 7th, at the regular monthly meeting of the Kings' Daughters, final plans were made for the annual shower, to be given this Saturday, May 12th.

As it is ANNUAL HOSPITAL DAY and also the birthday of Florence Nightingale, it is very appropriate that the local Kings' Daughters Hospital hold open house. The time has been set for 3 to 5 P. M.

Once a year, this appeal is sent out and not one of us can disregard it nor take it impersonally—for we never know when we will need the hospital and its facilities.

A number of folks have said that they would like to donate a sheet or two but were unable to buy them. It has been announced that the hospital was able to secure some, if any one cares to donate sheets in an envelope and give that on Saturday.

The new X-ray machine has been received and is all set up, so let's all make this shower a real success by attending and bringing something the hospital needs. If you can't go there, then send your gift.

Sunday May 13 Proclaimed A Day of Prayer and Worship by President Truman

On V-E Day President Harry S. Truman proclaimed May 13 as a day of prayer and worship for all races and creeds in the United States. He asked that all people ask for Divine guidance and help in our forthcoming task and to give thanks for our great victory over Germany. "The proclamation is as follows: 'To unite in offering joyful thanks to God for the victory we have won and to pray that He will support us to the end of our present struggle and guide us into the way of Peace.' He also asked that this day be set aside as a day of prayer for the memory of those boys who gave their lives in the service of their country."

Baptist Services

Rev. John Dearing will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist Church on Sunday, at the morning and evening services. Special Mother's Day Services will be held Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

CARD OF APPRECIATION

The Sisters of St. Joseph are most grateful to all who contributed in any way to make the May Festival the great success that it was. They wish to thank most specially the following for the services rendered:

Commander Harold McPhee of the U. S. Marine Base at Pass Christian, Mr. Walter Gex, Mr. William Bourgeois, Mr. Horace Farr, Mr. Billie Newberger, and the members of the U. S. Marine Band of Pass Christian, Miss Kathleen Renshaw, Miss Louise Armstrong, Mrs. Weber and Mrs. Becker.

SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH.

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In clinical tests conducted by medical doctors more than 100 persons lost 10 to 50 pounds average in a few weeks with the AYDS Plan. Fatness Caused by Retarding Plan.

With this Ayds Plan you don't cut out any meals, starve, poison, drink or butter, you simply eat them down. It's simple and easy. You eat AYDS before each meal. About 1000 calories, 20 days supply of Ayds only \$2.50. If not satisfied with results, MONEY back on the very first box. Please

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TO MY MANY FRIENDS OF HANCOCK COUNTY:

I want to take this means of expressing to you my deep appreciation of your interest in the special election held May 1, 1945. I want to thank you for your vote and for your influence.

To those who voted for Mr. Hewes, let me say that I hold no ill-will or malice toward you. I shall do my best fairly and impartially to serve the best interests of all.

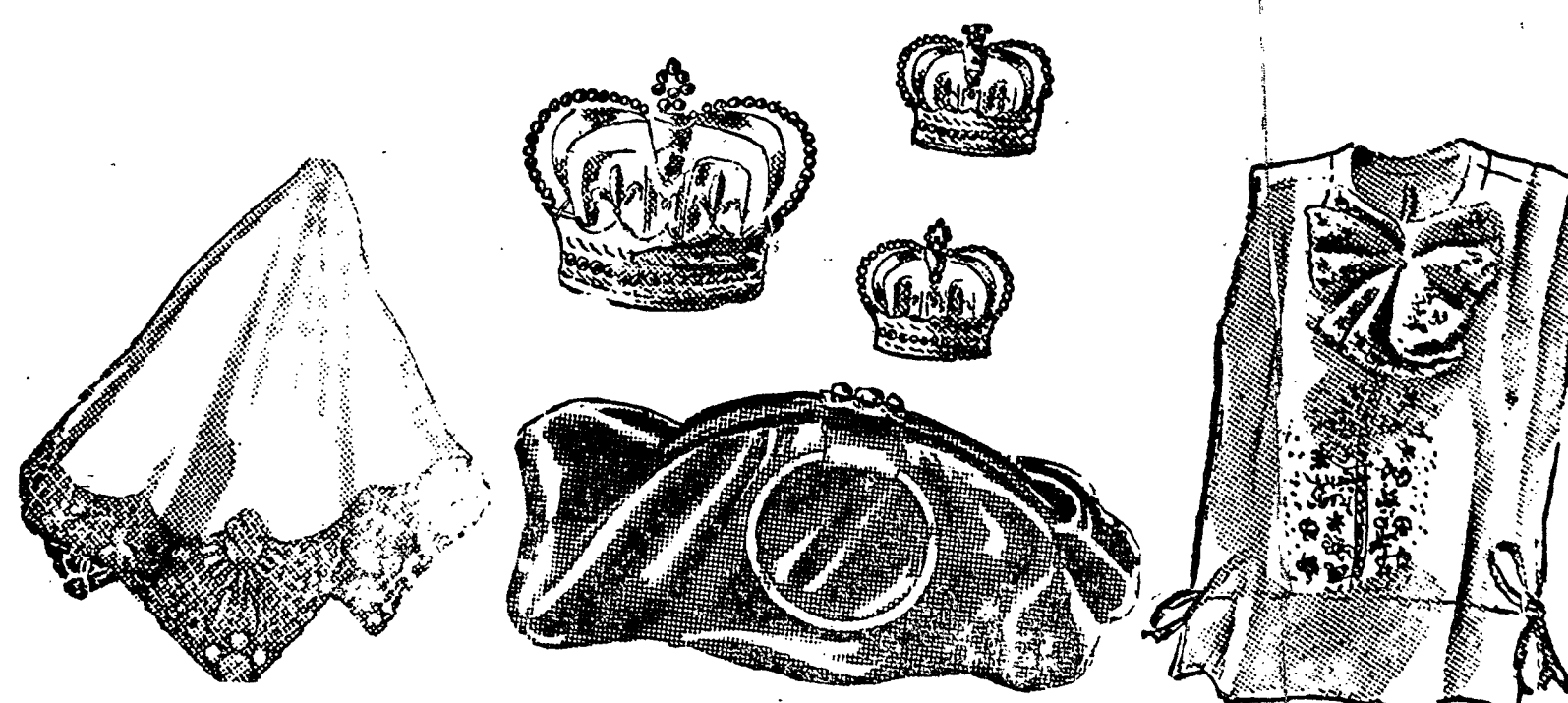
We will all work together to keep faith with our boys and girls in the sacrifices they are making in order that our Democratic way of life may survive.

LUTHER MAPLES

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Awarded Fourth Oak Leaf Cluster to Air Medal

The 25th Bomb Group, (Reconnaissance) England—First Lieutenant Louis A. Rogers, 26, of Bay St. Louis, has been awarded the fourth Oak Leaf Cluster to his Air Medal, it has been announced. Now a Mosquito pilot and a veteran of B-17 Flying Fortresses, he also holds the Distinguished Flying Cross for bombing missions over Germany.

The citation states this award was made for "... meritorious achievement in accomplishing with distinction many hours of reconnaissance missions over Europe. Three missions, over areas heavily defended by the enemy. Information which was obtained was of vital importance in connection with operations against the enemy. The courage, skill and cool judgment displayed by Lt. Rogers reflect great credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States."

The son of Mrs. Natalina Rogers, 722 Ponce de Leon Court, Atlanta, Georgia, Lt. Rogers is married to the former Miss Abbie Bourgeois, 207 Union Street, Bay St. Louis, Miss. He is a graduate of St. Stanislaus High School of Bay St. Louis and was a projectionist before entering the Army in July, 1942. Completing his pilot training under the Southwest Training Command, he has been overseas since March, 1944.

Since the above article was sent in, Mrs. Rogers has received word that the Lieutenant is now Captain L. A. Rogers and is a Flight Commander.

Transferred To Pasco, Washington

Sergeant Etha Kergosien of Gulfport, WAC, stationed at Camp Ellis, Illinois, has been transferred to the United States Engineers Office, Finance Division, at Pasco, Washington. Sgt. Kergosien spent Sunday here as the guest of her aunt and uncle and cousins Mrs. A. A. Kergosien and family.

Bay High Places in Several Track Events

The Bay High boys and girls track team placed in several events in the Gulf Coast Regional track meet held in Pascagoula and the school is justly proud of them.

Margaret won first place in the baseball throw, while others placed in the 75' and 50 yard dashes.

In the boys competition, Bay High placed in the discus throw, 220 yard dash and one half and one mile races.

SPECIAL PRAYER SERVICE

A special prayer service was held Tuesday night at the Methodist Church, in thanksgiving for V-E Day and all it means to the peoples of the world.

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S. J. A. Picnic

The entire student body and the Sisters of St. Joseph Academy enjoyed an all day picnic on Wednesday, the 5th grades, members of the Holy Angel Sodality spent the day at the Lizana Farm.

Those of the 6th through the 8th grades, members of St. Agnes Sodality went to Cue's place.

The Blessed Virgin Sodality—High School students—had their picnic at Handsboro. According to all reports everyone had a grand time.

N. C. C. W. Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Bay St. Louis District of the N. C. C. W. was held in Gulfport, Miss., on Wednesday, May 9th with a very good attendance. Next month, the meeting will be held in Bay St. Louis and it is hoped the ladies will attend.

Wins Singing Contest

Jack Wolfe U. S. Navy Signal Man 1/c, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Townsend Wolfe, of this city, won the singing contest at Fort Pierce, Fla. at a banquet given for the officers and men.

He has completed the training there and will go to Newport, Rhode Island, next week.

Stanislaus Hand Ball Tournament

The finals of the Hand Ball Tournament in the senior yard at Saint Stanislaus took the spect of an in. Stanislaus affair a "Good Neighbor" final, when the team of Jorge Rivero of Monterey, Mexico, and Chuchio Noval, of Habana, Cuba, were defeated by Anthony Gulotta and Donald Foley, of New Orleans, in two out of three games. scores: 21-16, 10-21, and 20-22. The New Orleans team overcame a large margin in the final game, to defeat the Central American pair, 20-22, after being behind 20-17. The winners will have the honor of having their names engraved on a Permanent Trophy, and to be proud possessors of medals, these trophies being donated by Mr. Gilbert Gayaut of New Orleans.

Scroll To Be Presented Mrs. C. C. McDonald

A scroll, awarded by the American Mothers Committee of the Golden Rule Foundation of New York City will be presented at the Methodist Townsend Wolfe, of this city, won the singing contest at Fort Pierce, Fla. at a banquet given for the officers and men.

The presentation will be made by Rev. E. E. Samples at the evening service at 7:30.

BUILDING MATERIALS

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1. 75 Squares Red Dutch Lap Shingles
2. 85 Squares White Asbestos Siding
3. 100 Sheets 4x8 Stonewall
4. Plywood—Several Sizes
5. Asbestone Corrugated Roofing Sheets 3 1/2 x 10 feet
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